

# 2012 Santa Fe County General Obligation Bond Election

Tuesday, November 6<sup>th</sup>, 2012

**Dear Santa Fe County Citizens,** 

On July 31, 2012 the Santa Fe County Board of County Commissioners adopted Resolution 2012-89 directing that three Bond Questions be presented to Santa Fe County voters as part of the November 6, 2012 general election. The three Bond Questions ask County voters if they would like to fund up to \$35 million for capital infrastructure projects in the following areas: roads, water and wastewater, and open space, trails, and parks. Voter approval of the bonds is not expected to significantly impact County property tax rates because previous bonds are being paid off. I urge Santa Fe County residents to educate themselves about the purpose and content of the Bond Election and be sure to vote on November 6<sup>th</sup>.

Sincerely, *Lig Stefanics*, Chair Board of County Commissioners

**Bond Questions** (as they will appear on the November 6<sup>th</sup> ballot)

Roads: \$19 million



South Meadows Road extension, completed last year, was funded by a previous bond issue.

Shall Santa Fe County issue up to \$19,000,000 in general obligation bonds payable from general (ad valorem) taxes to acquire, construct, design, equip and improve roads within the County?



## Water and Wastewater: \$10 million

Shall Santa Fe County issue up to \$10,000,000 in general obligation bonds payable from general (ad valorem) taxes to acquire real property and necessary water rights for, and to construct, design, equip, rehabilitate, and improve water and wastewater projects within the County?

Water infrastructure provides clean, sustainable water supplies to Santa Fe County citizens.



**Rancho Viejo Booster Station** 

## Open Space, Trails, and Parks: \$6 million



Shall Santa Fe County issue up to \$6,000,000 in general obligation bonds payable from general (ad valorem) taxes to acquire, design, construct, improve, equip, and restore open space, trails and parks within the County?

← Arroyo Hondo Trail Construction

### **Background**

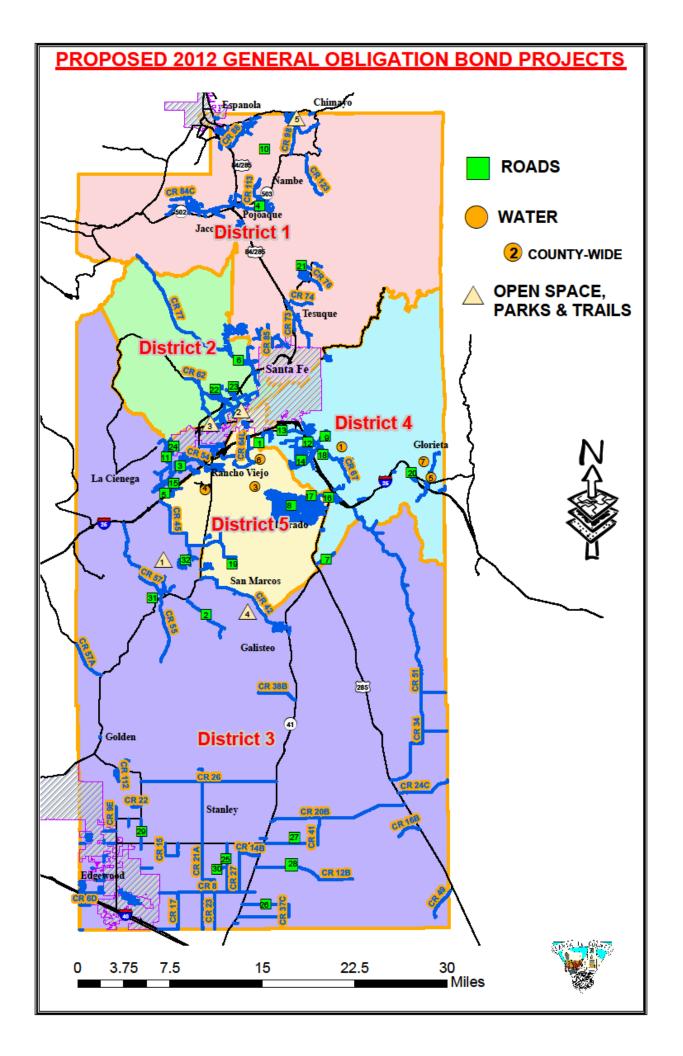
County Commissioners selected the three capital project categories for funding based on citizen input received (public meetings, one-on-one communication with constituents, a public opinion survey, etc.). In July 2010, a County "Priorities Survey" asked "What are the biggest issues facing the residents of Santa Fe County at this time?" The #1 response was "Roads/streets not kept up/are in bad shape." And the #2 response was "Water shortage/supply". In response to another question, 68% of survey participants ranked parks and recreation services as High or Very High.

It's <u>your</u> taxes at work! Be sure to vote on Tuesday, November 6<sup>th</sup>. Absentee voting begins October 9<sup>th</sup> and early voting starts October 20<sup>th</sup>.

### **For More Information:**

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	Road Improvements	1	Project Cost
1	NE/SE Connector	<u> </u>	5,000,000
2	CR 55A (General Goodwin Ranch Road)	\$ \$	1,500,000
3	CR 54 (Los Pinos Road) All Weather Structure	 \$	500,000
4	CR 113S River Crossing Improvement	<b>\$</b>	400,000
5	CR 50F (Entrada La Cienega)	 \$	200,000
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6	CR77 (Camino La Tierra)		700,000
7	CR 33 (Old Lamy Trail) Herrada Road	\$	300,000
8		\$	900,000
9	CR 67F (La Barbaria Road) - Road and Drainage	\$	500,000
10	Road Improvements in Northern SF County	\$	1,000,000
11	Torcido Loop Road and Drainage	\$	405,000
12	Bicycle Lane Construction Old Santa Fe Trail	\$	1,500,000
13	Cerros Cantando	\$	178,000
14	Camino Pacifico	\$	192,000
15	CR 50A	\$	178,000
16	Avenida Amistad	\$	194,000
17	Avenida Buena Ventura	\$	91,000
18	Puye Road	\$	140,000
19	Spruce Street	\$	156,000
20	Glorieta Estates	\$	200,000
21	Vista Redonda	\$	600,000
22	Pinon Hills	\$	627,000
23	Puesta del Sol	\$	604,000
24	Race Track Subdivision	\$	167,700
25	Hale Road	\$	729,200
26	Western Road	\$	501,325
27	Jaymar Road	\$	182,300
28	B Anaya Road	\$	364,600
29	North Weimer Road	\$	364,600
30	Roach Road	\$	138,540
31	Cerrillos Village	\$	222,400
32	Rancho Alegre	\$	264,335
	Total	\$	19,000,000
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	Water		
1	TL2N (Old Santa Fe Trail Transmission Line)	\$	850,000
2	Aquifer Recharge and Storage Phase I	\$	1,245,000
3	TL6S (Rancho Viejo - Eldorado Connector Line)	\$	2,500,000
4	Quill Water Reclamation Plant-Treatment Improvements	\$	3,290,000
5	Greater Glorieta Water Supply Improvements - Phase 1	\$	1,000,000
6	SR4NE Connection (Rancho Viejo - Hospital Tanks)	\$	215,000
7	Greater Glorieta Wastewater Collection and Water Reclamation	\$	900,000
,	Total	\$	10,000,000
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	Open Space / Trails/Parks		
1	Mt. Chalchihuitl Remediation	\$	676,000
2a	SF River Greenway: Frenchy's to Siler Rd. – Phase I: Restoration	\$	2,000,000
2b	SF River Greenway: Frenchy's to Siler Rd. – Phase II: Construction	\$	1,940,000
3	SF River Greenway: Phase III: El Camino Real Park Construction	\$	925,000
4	Thornton Ranch Open Space Design	\$	200,000
5	Bennie J. Chavez Park Renovation Design and Construction	\$	259,000
	Total	\$ \$	6,000,000
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